Facility Reservations

Reservations and rentals for facilities operated by the Franklin Parks and Recreation Department can be made at the Parks Administrative Office located in the Cultural Arts & Recreation Center, 396 Branigin Boulevard. All rental and reservation fees must be paid at the time the rental/reservation is booked. Once a rental/reservation has been booked, it is not our policy to refund payments. We begin accepting park and pool rentals for 2009 on January 2. All other facilities are rented on an on-going basis. Contact the Park Administrative Office at 317-736-3689 for availability. All rentals are subject to 7% sales tax.



Recreation Center

The Recreation Center offers several rental opportunities for meetings, showers, dances, holiday parties, office parties, seminars and more. Bring your own snacks and food or we have caterers available.

Facility	Rental Rate	City-Resident Discount Rate
Meeting Room	\$30 / hour	\$20 / hour
Theater	\$50 / hour	\$40 / hour
Gymnasium	\$25 / hour	\$15 / hour
Arts & Craft Room	\$15 / hour	\$10 / hour
Racquetball Court	\$10 / hour	FREE
After-Hours Supervisor	\$15 / hour	



Palmer Park Community Center

Great for reunions, receptions, showers, parties and meetings, this facility offers seating for 100. Amenities include: kitchen, restrooms, serving area and outdoor playground.

Facility	Rental Rate	City-Resident Discount Rate
Palmer Park	\$60 / 5 hours	\$45 / 5 hours
Each additional hour	\$12 / hour	\$10 / hour



Beeson Hall

Accommodating 250 seated table guests and 350 seated lecture style guests, this banquet facility offers 5,000 square feet of space for catered wedding receptions, business meetings, corporate parties, educational meetings, anniversary celebrations and other special events. Conveniently located on the southeast side of Franklin, it is easily accessible to downtown and surrounding Franklin churches.

Facility	Rental Rate	City-Resident Discount Rate
Mon – Thurs	\$275 / 5 hours	\$150 / 5 hours
Fri – Sun	\$500 / 5 hours	\$400 / 5 hours
Each additional hour	\$100 / hour	\$80 / hour
Additional Supervisor	\$15 / hour	



Franklin Memorial Swimming Pool Corner of South Street & Branigin Blvd.

Offering fun for the entire family, the Olympic-sized pool includes: diving well, 160-foot water slide, tot pool and play area, water basketball. The pool is available for private parties 8-10 pm any day of the week.

Facility	Rental Rate	City-Resident Discount Rate
Swimming Pool	\$225 / 2 hours	\$150 / 2 hours
Additional Lifeguard	\$20	



Facility Reservations

Scott Park

2123 N. Younce Street

Newly renovated, this park offers five ball fields, concessions stand, open space, basketball court, playground and picnic area. Scott Park is the home of the Parks & Recreation softball leagues, Franklin Little League and Franklin Boys & Girls Club T-ball League.

Facility	Rental Rate	City-Resident Discount Rate
Ball Diamond	\$20 / hour	\$5 / hour
Complex	\$500 / day	\$150 / day



Park Rentals

There are several shelters and picnic sites throughout Franklin's park system. These facilities are available to reserve from May through October. Reservations can be made starting January 2 for 2009 rentals.

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Facility	Rental Rate	City-Resident Discount Rate
Large Shelter	\$40 / day	\$25 / day
Small Shelter	\$30 / day	\$20 / day
Picnic Site	\$20 / day	\$15 / day
Gazebo	\$40 / day	\$25 / day
Rose Garden	\$50 / day	\$35 / day
Community Event Mobile Stage	\$250 / day	\$100 / day



Wonder Five Center 131 Hurricane Street

The Wonder Five Center offers two full size basketball/volleyball courts, perfect for birthday parties and athletic events/practices.

Facility	Rental Rate	City-Resident Discount Rate
Gymnasium – per court	\$25 / hour	\$15 / hour
Full Gymnasium	\$500 / day	\$150 / day



Blue Heron Challenge Course

@ Blue Heron Park



Blue Heron Challenge Course consists of 22 low elements which use various structures typically less than two feet off the ground. These structures present a series of progressive group and individual challenges designed to promote group and personal growth. Groups are supervised & lead by our trained instructors & facilitators to help challenge your group to reach their fullest potential during the activities.

Blue Heron Challenge Course Reservations

Blue Heron Challenge Course is designed to help your school, group or business to promote team-work, problem solving, effective communication, decision making & leadership. Our facilitators can lead youth organizations & agencies, schools, businesses and organizations through half-day or full-day adventures to improve your organization's effectiveness! To reserve your time at Blue Heron Challenge Course, simply call the Parks & Recreation Department at 317-736-3689.